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Application of

Applicant(s) : Phelps, et al.  
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BASED ON RARE EARTH ELEMENTS  
Docket No. : UVD 0279 IA / UD 267  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

This paper is being filed in response to the final Office Action mailed August 22, 2006, having a response due November 22, 2006. Reexamination and reconsideration of the present application are respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below.